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Farmers Reported by Country Merchants to Be Slow in Paying Bills.

Hence Wholesale Dealers Complain that Collections Are Poor-Money Still in Good Demand-Corn Grading Well in the East.

MONEY AND STOCKS,

The Daily Clearances and Balances-A Good

Demand for Currency. The demand for currency continues. Wholesale merchants complain of poor collections, and are told by their country customers that is all the fault of the farmers who, having raised abundant crops, are in no haste to convert their grain and produce into money and pay their debts. The clearances and balances for yesterday and the corresponding date of 1890 are as follows: Dec. 10, 1891.

Dec. 10, 1890 \$699,179.02 94,163.74 Clearances......\$832,708.62. Balances..... 117,990.11. NEW YORK QUOTATIONS. At New York, yesterday, money on call

was easy, ranging from 21/2 to 3 per cent., the last loan being made at 214, closing offered at 21/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange was quiet but strong at \$4.82 for sixty-day bills and \$4.84% for

demand. The total sales of stocks were 320,290 shares, including the following: Atchison, 18,375; Canada Southern, 8,195; Chicago Gas, 17,580; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 21,910; Erie, 26,970; Louisville & Nashville, 3,200; Missouri Pacific, 12,235; Northern Pacific preferred, 29,850; Reading, 19,900; Richmond & West Point, 5,000; St. Paul,

20,270; Union Pacific, 3,200. The stock market was still more active and remained strong, especially during the forenoon, while there was considerable falling off later in the day. The final prices were generally higher than those of the previous evening, and a few stocks showed marked gains. The manner in which the market continued to broaden and the strength displayed was a surprise to both "bulls" and "bears," as so much activity was not looked for until after the end of the year. The decrease in the rate of disdently expected in some quarters, had its legitimate effect on prices on the other side, and the London market was buoyant this morning. The widening of the market was marked by increased business on the part of New York commissionhouses, while some of the larger traders came again into the market, their purchases giving great strength to the early dealings in the leading shares. The out-of-town speculative element, how-

ever, was not present in force, and Chicago and Boston houses did little except in their immediate favorites. The Western stocks became again prominent in the trading. Burlington leading in point of activity throughout the day, while its strength was even more remarkable, Missonri Pacific, St. Paul, Northern Pacific preferred and Rock Island following. The industrials were not a factor in the day's trading, though Chicago Gas was moderately active. The opening was steady only, but the excellent demand soon developed a strong tone, and everything on the list moved upward at a moderate gate, though Burlington and some of the specialties, such as Susquehanna & Western preferred, rose over 1 per cent., followed, toward noon, by a sharp rise in Missouri Pacific. At other times Rock Island, Chicago Gas, St. Paul, Wheeling & Lake Eric preferred, Mil-waukee, Lake Shore & Western preferred and Canada Southern were specially strong, but in neither of these did the improvement reach more than a fraction. The early demand fell off appreciably toward noon, and after that time prices receded slowly, without the development of any feature of note. In St. Paul and Erie, in each of which the activity was great, their extreme fluctuations for the day were only 42 @ ber cent., respectively. The market finally closed quiet and rather heavy, but with prices, in most of the list, close to first prices. The changes were generally small gains, but

Burlington rose 1 s and Missouri Pacific 1 s. Railroad bonds were again active, and displayed a more decided tone. Some of the new speculative issues scored marked gains in all parts of the list. The total sales were \$2,278,000, of which the Atchison incomes contributed \$142,000. Among the movements of note was Milwankee, Lake Shore & Western firsts, 2 per cent., to 123. Government bonds were dull and steady, while State bonds were dull and without feature. Closing quotations were: Four per ct. reg. .. 11612 Louis. & Nash.... 8058 Four per ct. coup. 11712 L. & New Albany. 2334

Atchison 4318 N. J. Central 11319 Adams Express...143 Northern Pacific. 2412 Ches. & Ohio 2578 N. Y. Central 11678 C. & O. pref. 1sts. 58½
C. & O. pref. 2ds. 38¾
C. & O. pref. 2ds. 38¾
C. & O. pref. 2ds. 38¾
C. B. & Q. 105½
C. C. C. & St. L. 71¼
Del., Lack. & W. 139
Fort Wayne... 155
Lake Eric & W. 20¼
Lake Shore... 1255
Lake Shore... 1255
Lake Shore... 1255
Lead Trust... 17¼
Western Union... 8156 Lead Trust...... 174 Western Union.... 815

Bar silver at New York yesterday, 95c per ounce; at London, 434d.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE,

Continued Dry Weather Good for Corn Shipments-Lack of Cars Causes Annoyance. On 'Change yesterday wheat, corn and oats were all steady. There were inspected in six cars of wheat, twenty-four of corn and four of hav.

Buyers for export are pleased to note that corn, owing to the continued dry weather. is grading better in the East. The prospect for cars continues unimproved. They are being returned from the sea-board very slowly. Meantime all the warehouses along the railroads are full of corn, and farmers who come to town with grain, as there is no room to store it, have to hant

Prices on 'Change yesterday ruled as

Wheat-No. 2 red, 94c; No. 3 red, 91c; rejected, 80@88c; unmerchantable, 65@75c; wagon wheat, 98c. Corn (all new)-No. 1 white, 47c; No. white, 47c; white mixed, 45½c; No. 3 white, 46c, 1 color; No. 2 yellow, 47c; No. 3 yellow, 45c; No. 2 mixed, 47c; No. 3 mixed, Oats-No. 2 white, 3re; No. 3 white, 344c; No. 2 mixed, 354 c; rejected, 31 a 82c.

Hay-Timothy, choice, \$12.50; No. 1, \$12; No. 2, \$10; No. 1 prairie, \$8; No. 2, \$7; mixed hay, Si.

POULTRY, GAME AND OTHER PRODUCE. Dealers are beginning to ask what has become of all the game, as none is coming in. Turkeys are again scarce, growers holding them for better prices. Dealers are of the opinion that they had better seil now, and not wait for the holidays, as there is such a thing as glutting the market. Prices paid by dealers yesterday were: Poultry-Hens. 7c P 15; young chickens, 7c \$ 15; turkeys, fat, choice hens, 9c \$ 15, and 9c for fancy young toms; ducks, 64e & 15; geese. \$4.80@5.40 & doz. Game-Quails, 75c@81 \$\rightarrow\$ doz; selling at \$1.25@1.50; rabbits, 75c@90c \$\rightarrow\$ doz, selling

at \$1 a 1.25. Eggs-Shippers paying 24c. Butter-Choice country. 14@16c: common. Salle; choice retailing from stere at 25@

Cheese-New York full cream, 13@14c; akims 5@7c & fb., (Selling prices.) Feathers Prime geese, 850 P 1h; mixed

Beeswax-Dark, 35c; yellow, 40c, (selling

Weel-Tub-washed and picked, 30@33c;

unwashed medium and common grades, if in good order, 20@23e; burry and cotted. 15@ 18c; fine merino, 18c. Hides, Tailow, Etc.

Hides-No. 1 G. S. hides, 5c; No. 2 G. S. hides, 4c; No. 1 green, 34c; No. 2 green, Horse Hides-32.50 a.3. Tallow-No. 1, 3 3 @4c; No. 2, 3%c.

Grease-White, 34c; yellow, 3c; brown Bones-Dry, \$12@13 per ton.

GREEN FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. Oranges are coming on in good shape and better than ever. The Florida crop is considered unusually fine. Grapes are not in as good demand as heretofore. Messina lemons and the few Palermos that come to this market are in excellent quality. Sell-

Apples-Common, \$1.50; choice, \$1.75@2.25; fancy, \$2.50; P barrel. Grapes-Catawbas, 35c for 10-15 baskets and 18@20c for 5-fts; Emperors, \$4.50 per 40-ft crate; Malagas, \$7 for light-weight kegs, and \$7@8 for medium to full weight, Cranberries-Cape Cod. \$7@8 \$\to \text{barrel;} \$2.50@2.75 \$\to \text{bushel;} Jersey. \$2.50 \$\to \text{bushel.} Oranges-Floridas, \$2,25@2.75 P box. Lemons-Choice, 84.50@5 P hox fancy,

\$5.50 a 6; Malaga, \$4.50 Bananas-\$1.50@2 Dunch, according to size and quality. Celery-Home-grown, 25@30c per bunch; Michigan, 157220e for common, 40245e for fancy white plumes. Potatoes-Indiana, 40c P bushel from car: Michigan, 40@45c; from store, 45@50c. Sweet Potatoes-Jersey, \$3.50@3.75 P brl: Illinois, \$2.75@8; kiln-dried Jersey, \$3.25

Cabbage-Home grown, \$1 \$\to\$ barrel; choice Michigan. \$6 \$\to\$ 100; \$1.25 \$\to\$ brl. Onions-Yellow, 90c@\$1 & busher: red, 90c @ \$1; Spanish onions, \$1.50 @ 1.75 P crate. Cider—Duffy, pure, \$5 per trade brl; half brls, \$3; Oliver Bros.' sand refined, \$5.50@5.75 per brl; half brls, \$3.25@3.50; Carson's New York pure, \$4.50 \$\text{P}\$ brl; half Hickory Nuts-Large, \$1 per bushel:

small, \$1.50@1.75. THE JOBBING TRADE,

[The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesale dealers.]

CANDIES AND NUTS. Candies-Stick, 6c per 15; common mixed, 6e; G. A. R. mixed, 8c; cream mixed, 10c; old-time mixed, 7c; crimp mixed, 10c, Nuts-Soft-sheiled almonds, 17c; pecans, 15c; English walnuts, 10@15c; Brazil nuts, 10c; filberts, 12c; peanuts, roasted, 5@7c; mixed nuts, 12c.

CANNED GOODS. pound seconds, \$1.30@1.40; California standards, \$2.25@2.50; California seconds, \$2@2.25. Miscellaneous-Blackberries, 2pound, 85@95c; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.30; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.40@2.50; second 2-pound, \$1.20@2.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, \$1.05@1.10; light, 65@70c; 2-pound. full, \$2.15@2.25; light, \$1.20; string beans, 85 @95c; Lima beans, \$1.10@1.20; peas, marrowfat, \$1.10@1.20; early June, \$1.25@1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, 95c@\$1.10; trawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (lbs) \$1.35@

Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7 \$\P\$ ton; Pitts-burg and Raymond City, \$4.50 \$\P\$ ton; Jackson, \$4.25; block, \$3.50; Island City, \$3.25; Blossburg and English cannel, \$5. All nut coals 50 cents below above quota-Coke-Connellsville, \$3.75 P load; crushed,

\$3.25 P load; lump. \$3 P load. DRIED FRUITS. Apples-Sun-dried, 412 250 P 15; evapor-Peaches-Common sun-dried, 414 @5c P 15: common evaporated, 8@9c. California snn-

dried, 712@11c; California evaporated, 9@ Apricots-Sun-dried, 9@11c per 15; evapor-Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1.75@2.25 per box; London layer, \$2@2.50 per box; Valencia, 8@9c per lb; layer, 914@10c.

Currants-6@6 c per fb. Prunes-Turkish, 7@8c per fb; Catifornia, Figs-Layer, 13@16c per 15.

DRUGS. Alcohol. \$2.31@2.45; asafetida, 20@25c; alum, 4@5c; camphor, 55@60c; cochiueal, 50@55c; chioroform, 60@65c; copperas, brls, 85c@\$1; cream tartar, pure, 30@25c: indigo. 80@81c; licorice, Calab., genuine, 50@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz., 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., D oz., \$2.20; madder, 14@18c; oil, castor, \$\P\$ gal, \$1.15 @1.20; oil, bergamont, \$\P\$ 15. \$4.50; optum. \$2.25; quintne. P. & W., \$\P\$ oz, 31@36c; balsam coparba, 70@75c; soap, Castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, bicarb., 442@6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, flour, 5@6c; saltpeter, 8@20e; turpentine, 40@45c; glycerine, 18@22c; iodide potass., \$2.85@3; bromide potass., 40@42c; chlorate potash, 18c; borax, 13@15e; einchonidia, 12@15e; carbolie acid, 80@35c.

Oils-Linseed oil, raw, 37@40c per gal.; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia Inbricating, 20@30c; miners', 45c. Lard oils, No. 1, 50@55e; do., extra, 60@65c. White Lead-Pure, 714c. DRY GOODS.

Bleached Sheetings-Androscoggin L. 74c; Berkeley, No. 60, 9c; Cabot, 7c; Capital, 64c; Cumberland, 8c; Dwight Anchor, 84c; Fruit of the Loom, 84c; Farwell, 74c; Fitchville, 7c; Full Width, 6c; Gilt Edge, 54c; Gilded Age, 5c; Hill, 74c; Hope, 74c; Linwood, Sc; Lonsdale, Strc; Lonsdale Cambric, 104c; Masonville, Strc; Peabody, 54c; Pride of the West, 11 c; Quinebaug, 64c; Star of the Nation, 6 c; Ten Strike, 6 c; Pepperell 9-4, 20c; Pepperell 10-4, 22c; Androscoggin 9-4, 20c; Androscoggin 10-4, 22c. Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A. 7c; Argyle, 64c; Boott C. 512c; Buck's Head, 634c; Clifton CCC, 6c; Constitution, 40-inch, 74c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight Star, 7c; Great Falls E. 7c; Great Falls J. 6c; Good Luck LL, 54c; Harper LL, 5c; Hill Fine, 74c; Indian Head, 7c; Lawrence LL. 54c; Lockwood B. 64c; Nabob Royal, 34c; Lone Jack H, 54c; Pensacola A, 54c; Princess, 64c; Saranac R, 64c; Trion Sea Island, 54c; Pepperell E, 7c; Pepperell R, 64c; Pepperell 9-4, 174c; Pepperell 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin 9-4, 18c; Androscoggin 10-4, 20c. Prime Cambrics—Manville, 5½c; S. S. &

Son's, 54c; Masonville, 54c; Garner, 54c. Tickings—Amoskeag ACA, 124c; Conestoga BF, 144c; Cordis 140, 134c; Cordis FT, 134c; Cordis ACE, 124c; Hamilton awning, 104c; Kimono Fancy, 18c; Lenox Fancy, 20c; Methuen AA, 12c; Oakland 200, 74c; Oakland 25c, 8c; Oakland AF, 7c; Portsmouth, 124c; Susquehanna, 144c; Shetucket SW, 74c; Shetucket F, Sc; Swift River, 64c. Grain Bags-Amoskeag, \$16.50; American, \$16.50; Franklinville, \$17.50; Harmony, \$16.50;

Ginghams-Amoskeag Staples, 634c; Amoskeag Persian Dress, 812c; Bates Warwick Dress, 8c; Johnson BF Staples, 913c; Johnson BF Fancies, 812c; Lancaster, 7c; Lancaster Nomanda, 8c: Carrolton, 434c; Renfrew Dress, 84c; Renfrew Novelties, 104c; Whittinton Heather, 74c; Calcutta Dress

Prints-Allen dress styles, 54c; Allen's staples, 5c; Allen TR, 54c; Allen robes, 54c; American indigo, 54c; American robes, 612c; American shirtings, 54c; Arnold merino, 6c; Arnold indigo, 54c; Arnold LCC, 9c; Arnold LCB, 10c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10c; Cocheco fancy, 6c; Cocheco madders, 54c; Hamilton fancy, 6c; Manchester fancy, 6c; Merrimack pinks and purples, 612c; Pacific fancy, 6c; Pacific robe, 612c; Pacific mourning, 6c; Simpson Eddystone, 6c; Simpson Berlin solids, 54c; Simpson's boil finish, 7c; Simpson's greys, 6c;

Simpson's mournings, 6c. GROCERIES. Coffee-Good, 2014@2114c; prime, 2114@ 221/2c; strictly prime to choice, 23/2/231/2c; fancy green and yellow, 254@274c; old government Java, 35@36c; ordinary Java, 2914 @3014c: imitation Java. 2714@2814c. Roasted coffees-1-lb packages, 2014c. Sugars-Hard, 4's @6c; confectioners' A. 412 @45c; off A, 4% @412c; coffee A, 44 @480;

white extra C, 418 @414c; extra C, 4@418c; good yellows, 378 @4c; fair yellows, 374 @ 3%c; common yellows, 3% @3%c. Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 30@40c; choice, 40@50c;

Honey-16/@18c ₽ pound. Rice-Louisiana, 6/2/7½c; Carolina, 5½@ Beans-Choice hand-picked navy, \$2@ 2.25 P bu; medium hand-picked, \$2@2.10. Spices-Pepper, 16@18e; allspice, 12@15c; cloves, 20@25c; cassia, 10@12c; nutmegs, 80

Salt—In car lots, 25c; small lots, \$1@1.05. Woodenware—No. 1 tube, \$7@7.25; No. 2 tubs, \$6@6.25; No. 3 tubs, \$5@5.25; 3-hoop pails, \$1.70@1.75; 2-hoop pails, \$1.40@1.45; double washboards, \$2.25@2.75; common washboards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes-pins, 50@

Wooden Dishes-Per 100, 1 15, 20c; 2 15s, Flour Sacks-No. 1 drab, 4 brl, 817 49 1.000; 1s brl. \$9; lighter weights, \$1 \$\to 1,000 Twine-Hemp, 12@18e P 15; wool, 8@10c; | delphia Record.

flax, 20@30c; paper, 18c; jute, 12@15c; cot-

Shot -\$1.50@1.55 \$\text{P} bag for drop. Lead -7@74c for pressed bars. LEATHER. Leather-Oak sole, 24@33c; hemlock sole, 22@28c; harness. 24@31c; skirting. 31@33c; black bridle, \$\psi \doz., \$60@65; fair bridle, \$60@78 \$\psi \doz.; \text{city kip, 65@85c; French kip, 85c@\$1.10; \text{city calf-skins, 70c@\$1} French calf-skins, \$1@1.80.

IRON AND STEEL Bar iron (rates), 1.90@2c; horseshoe bar, de; nail rod, be; plew-slabs, de; American cast steel, 9c; tire steel, 3c; spring steel, 5c. NAILS AND HORSESHOES.

Steel cut nails, \$1.80; wire nails, \$2.10, rates; horseshoes, \$2 keg. \$4.25; mule-shoes, keg, \$5.25; horse-nails, \$4@5.

Oil cake, \$24.50 \$2 ton; oil meal, \$24.50. PROVISIONS. Hams—Sugar-cured, 20 lbs average, 94c; 18 lbs average, 10c; 15 lbs average, 104c; 124 lbs average, 114c; block hams, 16 to 20 lbs average, 10c; boueless hams, Se; California hams, 8 lbs average, 74c; 13 Ibs average, 74c. Breakfast Bacon, Clear-English-cured

lle; very light pieces, 10c; choice sugar

cured, 10c. Shoulders-English-cured, 12 lbs average, 719c; 16 lbs average, 714c; rolled, 819c; sugarcured, 11 to 15 lbs average, 634. Bacon-Clear sides, 25 to 30 ths average, 84c; 40 hs average, 8c; clear bellies, 10 the average, 9c; range of 15 to 30 the, same quality and average as heretofore, without

selection, 812c; clear backs, 8 lbs average, Se: 18 lbs average, Sc. Dried Beef-Ham, inside pieces and knuckles, 912c; special selections, 12c advance; ham, outside only, 64c. Beef tongues, 50c each.

Smoked Sausage-Pork, in link, 9e; bo logna, cloth, 6c; skin, large, 612c; small, 614c; wiener-wurst, 8c. Dry-salt Meats-Clear sides, clear bellies clear backs, 4c less than smoked; short fat backs, 7 lbs average, 612c. Pickled Pork-Bean pork, clear, P brl 200 fbs, \$16; family pork, light or heavy pieces, 200 fbs, \$15; rump pork, \$\psi\$ brl 200 fbs, \$12. Also, half barrels, 100 fbs, at half the price of the barrel, adding 50c to cover additional cost of package. Lard-Kettle-rendered, in tierces, 81/2c;

"Indiana," in tierces, 7½c; "Central," in tierces, 7c; hard-wood tubs, 55 lb net, same price as tierces; hard-wood ½ brls, 100 lbs, o over tierces; 20-lb buckets, be over tierces; cans, from 50 down to 3 lbs, gross weight, in cases of 2 to 20 cans, at 4c to 1c advance on price of tierces.

Clover-Extra choice recleaned, 60 lbbn, \$4.55@4.50; prime, \$4.15@4.35; English, choice, \$4.25@4.50; Alsike, as to quality, 86@8.50; Alfalfa, 86.50@7; white Dutch, as to quality, \$7@9.50. Timothy-Fancy, 45 lb bu, \$1.70@1.80; choice, \$1.55@1.60; strictly prime, \$1.50@1.55. Blue-grass-Fancy Kentucky, 14 lb bu, \$2.50@2.75; English choice, 24 lb bu, \$1.85@1.95. Orchard grass—Choice, 14 lb bu, \$1.35@1.50. Italian Rye Grass—Choice, 18 lb bu, \$1.50@1.75. Red Top— Choice, 14 lb bu, 45@55c.

TINNNERS' SUPPLIES. Best brand charcoal tin, IC, 10x14, 14x20 2x12, \$7.50; IX, 10x14, 14x20 and 12x12, \$9.50; C. 14x20, roofing tin, 85.75@6; IC, 20x28, \$11.50@12.50; block tin, in pigs, 26c; in bars, 28c. Iron—27 B iron, 314c; C iron, 5c; galvanized, 50 and 10 to 60 per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 7c. Copper bottoms, 24c. Planished copper, 28c. Solder, 15@16c.

PENSIONS FOR VETERANS

Residents of Indiana and Illinois Whose Claims Have Been Allowed. Pensions have been granted the following-named Indianians:

Original-Squire Osborn, Wm. H. Crum, Hamilton McCormick, Joseph Kirk, Stephen Metcalf, David W. Lee, Henry Klausmann. Jacob H. Lozenby, Wm. H. Kinnaman, John S. Israil. Additional-Ozias Barker, Harry Guinnup, Wm. Me-Sproul, David Heffner, Increase—Robert S.
Moore, John C. Kurz, John Maiden, Benjamin F. Hugg, John C. Kelso, Orlando A. Hays, Levi W. Emahiser,
Milton D. Holmes, James Henderson, Erhard Luchener, Francis A. Norwood, Wesley A. Malcom, Henry P. Davis, Drury Holt, John Schwallier, Francis M. Wood, William Cochran, James K. Hinkle, Smith Hobert, Calvin Stogdill, Peter Michels, Platt Hougiand, Albert J. Thomp son, Daniel B. Hughes, Benjamin F. Frogden, David Needham. Reissue-Henry S. Kreisher, David Gaff. Original Widows-Elizabeth Giberson, Ann Mary Eppert.

Original-William T. Davis, Martin Driscoll, Benjamin F. Day, John Rees, Samuel Hack ethorn, Nicholas Dahm. Additional-Thomas C. Vaughan, Thomas P. Wooderson, Julius C. Hatter, Henry Glese, Hiram Weer. Increase-John C. Batley, Henry Suddoth, Lewalyn B. Ridens, G. W. M. Vandegrift, Samuel N. Stanter, John D. Collins, Charles E. Durland, James A. Owen, John Rice, Silas F. Rigby, Riley Liston, Julius C. Sharp, William Wilson, Barney C. Barnum, William M. Fitzpatrick, John Wright, George W. Welch, denry Rolph, Gilbert A. Shedd, Rice S McCermack. Reissue-Solomon Reinebold George B. Leavitt. Thomas Thatcher, Josian Lamb, Emory G. Melendy, Alfred L. Stoney. Original widows, etc. - Minors of Hezekiah Mahuron, Martha A. Marshall, George Davidson (father), Harriet Ritchey (mother), Delilah Trout, Nancy Sterrett, Mary E. King, Susannah Styer, Henry Stark (father), David Mishler (father), David Kirby (father), Louisa St. John, Naucy Moffit, Ida Martin.

Original-Elijah J. Ketchum, Bruno Forvan-ner, George C. Inman, Calvin Mathis, George R. Lay, John Knibb, John J. Cosat, Jonathan A. Bandy, John F. Gerdes, Henry A. Cockrum, Randolph M. Caliss. Additional—Thomas Peniwell. Increase-Daniel Hart, John Holliday, John Hetherman, Daniel Southwood, Peter J. Patterson, Frank T. Hemphill, Joab Crackley Harvey D. Fl.is. Reissue-Calvin B Original widow-Sarah A. Eaton Original-Christoff Paul, James Chord, Anton Weber, Wesley W. Duncan, Samuel A. Holmes, Albert F. Stephenson, Lee Rogers, Charles W. Morse, Richard Moore, John A. Fellows, James W. Loving, Thomas Dier, Samuel Hyde, Henry L. Hayward, John M. Walker, Thomas Bell, Patrick Cahil, James A. Congleton, James W. Filson, George B. Reed, Henry Hillman. Additional-Jacob Stotts, John Shelly, Charles M. Bunter, Isaac M. Thomas, Archibald S. Palmer, Friedrich Ziegler, Henry E. Vance, Wm. J. Pelmens, Pe.ry Brown, James F. Smith. Reissue Timothy Sumner, Aaron Orton, Edward Leaby, Christian May. Original widows, etc.—Euda-cide Arpin, Ann S. Yoakum, Gertrude J. Rose, Anna E. Geer (mother), Rebecca A. Milligan, Frederick Cavis (father), Rebecca Shaeffer (mother), August Methlow, Edna D. Monroe, Missouri E. Copeland, Sarah Haworth, Helen M. Smith, Anna Maria Schumacher, Mary A. Caselman, Martha Moyer (mother), Margaret E. Murphy, Helen Avery, May C. Grady.

Farm Notes.

It is advisable, before arranging for the house plants, to give new earth to the pots, in order to avoid diseases of the plants from the old earth used previously. Plants are always benefitted by a change of earth,

and the work is easily done. Trees grown from seed planted where each tree is to remain are known to be hardier and more thrifty than those that have been transplanted. To have proper varieties, however, the young trees must be grafted or budded while standing in the ground. Some of the grafts or buds may fail, but if so the trees may be replaced by

others that have been grafted or budded in the nursery. Au Illinois farmer thinks that sweet apples are better for hogs than any root crop. He says a hog will leave a clover a patch to eat sweet apples, and he thinks apples will make more fat and muscle than clover. It puts the hair in shape, cools the stomach and intestines, regulates the bowels and makes them voracious feeders, and he thinks it tends as much to fatten them as

any other portion of the rations. If you wish to have a patch of large onions next year lay off a plot of ground, cover it with three inches of manure, and on the first warm day that such work can be done spade the pot, mixing the manure well into the soil, and broadcast a small quantity of lime over the surface. In the spring spade the plot again, rake it down fine and plant it to onion sets. The result should be large onions and plenty of them. P. C. Reynolds, in the New York Tribune, says that two grape-vines praned in the spring, after the buds had pushed an inch or more, bore more grapes than the same varieties pruned the previous fall. The last year's canes were cut back to two or three buds, leaving as the leading buds those that had made the strongest growth. The canes bled very little, much less than when pruned in March. They made as

rank a growth of wood as usual. A reader asks for the various methods of storing cabbages. The usual method in this region is to bury the heads, the roots being up, selecting a high, dry place, and covering the whole with a mound of earth. They will also keep for a while in a dry, cool cellar, but should not become frozen and then thawed, but as long as they are kept near but above the freezing point they will be easily preserved. In some sections the roots are put in the ground, the heads bestraw and corn-stalks, the cabbage-stalks sending out shoots in the spring, which are used as early greens. Burying the heads is probably the most popular method.—Phila-

CORN STILL PREDOMINATES

Although the Price at Chicago Fell Some from Wednesday's High Figures.

Very Little of the Sensational Article for Sale Except by Men Raking in Profits on Lines of Longs-Wheat Holds Quiet.

TRADING AT CHICAGO.

Corn Pit Continues to Furnish the Attrac-

tion on the Board of Trade. CHICAGO, Dec. 10 .- The corn pit again attracted the attention of the operators today and the feeling was very feverish and decidedly unsettled, but with prices averaging considerable above yesterday's close. The business was quite spasmodic, with occasional rushes to cover, which would send prices up two or three cents in short order, and when the spasm was over duliness would rule for a time and sharp declines follow. Conservative "shorts" were anxious to cover, and outside operators in particular were disposed to even up. The selling was restricted, and in the face of such evidences of manipulation as the last two days has furnished there is not much disposition to sell year "short," and the offerings were mostly of long corn to secure profits. Nothing more definite is yet known as to who the clique is composed of, but there is no longer much dispute as to its existence, or as to its ability to make prices. The trading was attended with less excitement than that of yesterday, partly because the fluctuations were somewhat less wide and violent and partly because the trade is becoming used to lightning changes in the price of this cereal. The proportion of the receipts grading to contract remains very small. Of 323 car-loads inspected during the past twenty-four hours only seventeen passed muster. December opened at 55c, against 5312c at the close yesterday, and finally touched 59c, which proved the highest price of the day, against 60c as the top figure yesterday. Then a season of weakness set in, which carried prices down to 55c. range, the lowest being 93% c and the high-During the remainder of the session the est 93%c, with 93%c as the limit most of the market was slow, and the close was steady | time. The cash market had about the at 56c. January was bought rather freely, usual activity, and the price held above and advanced from 45c to 46c, closing be | either December or January futures. There lower. May was less affected, and closed unchanged.

Wheat opened very dull and quiet, in sympathy with cables which lent no encouragement to investors. There was also a tendency to await the appearance of the government crop report due later in the day. May held for a time at 98 2c and 98 4c, but when it was known that New York had cleared 562,000 bushels of wheat and 38,000 packages of flour, trade revived a little and, with good buying, there was a raily to Ream and other "shorts" began to sell breaking the price to 984c, and the close was steady at 98%c. Oats were quiet but firm during the

the last hour, closing steady without material change from yesterday, except December, which was higher. Hog products opened lower on an estimate that the receipts of hogs at the yards would reach 56,000 head, while prices there were 10c lower. Later in the day, however, the market firmed up and the close was at a moderate advance over yesterday. Estimated receipts for to-morrow are: Wheat, 285 cars; corn, 270 cars; oats, 180 cars; bogs,

morning, but were slow and easy during

44,000. The leading futures ranged as fol-Options. |Op'ning | Highest. | Lowest. | Closing. May. Corn-Dec... 4334 Oats-Dec May ork-Dec \$8.30 11.65 11.5212 6.1212 6.1212 Sh'tribs-Dec. 5.4210 5.50 5.45

5.90

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 924c; No. 8 spring wheat, 84@85c; No. 2 red, 924c; No. 3 spring wheat, \$4285c; No. 2 red, 924c; No. 2 corn, 554c; No. 2 oats, 534c; No. 2 white, 342854c; No. 3 white, 314238c; No. 2 ree, 89c; No. 2 barley, 59c; No. 3, f. o. b., 44258c; No. 4, f. o. b., 5824c; No. 1 flax-seed, 944c; prime timothy-seed, \$1.2121.22; mess pork, per brl. \$8.57428.50; lard, per pound, 6.1026.124c; short-rib sides (loose), 5.5025 (for dry lited shoulders (hoved) 5.50@5.(5c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed) 4.57 @4.50c; short clear staes (boxed), 5.75@ 5.80c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal., \$1.18; sugars unchanged. On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter market was weak; tancy creamery, 26 2 27 2c; fine Western, 25 726c; ordinary, 21@24c; selected dairies, 24@26c; ordinary, 18/220c. Eggs unchanged at 23/224c. Receipts-Flour, 22,000 brls: wheat, 110,000 bu; corn, 146,000 bu; oats, 115,000 bu; rye, 24,000 bu; barley, 57,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 13,000 bris; wheat, 46,000 bu; corn.

barley, 150,000 bu. AT NEW YORK

208,000 bu; oats, 193,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu;

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- Flour-Receipts, 28,933 packages; exports, 3,960 brls, 34,127 sacks. Sales, 22,700 brls. Corn-meal quiet and steady.

Wheat-Receipts, 215,250 bu; exports, 561,-735 bu; sales, 1,360,000 bu futures, 58,000 bu spot. The spot market opened stronger and closed easier and quiet; No. 2 red. \$1.061-@1.07 in store and in elevator, \$1.08 @1.0812 afloat, \$1.08@1.0918 f. o. b.: No. 3 red, \$1.01@1.0112; ungraded red, 9712c@\$1.12; No. Northern, \$1.093; No. 1 hard, \$1.12; No. 2 Northern, \$1.04. Options advanced 14@%c on moderate receipts through the railroad block ade; declined 38 @ 1/2c on weaker cables and dull export demand and closed at 40 4c over last night, with a general dull feeling on account of all parties awaiting the government report; No. 2 red. December. \$1.0612@1.07. closing at \$1.0614; January, \$1.0718@1.0734, closing at \$1.074; February, \$1.084 @1.08%, closing at \$1.0814; March, \$1.0914@1.10, closing at \$1.10; April, \$1.08's; May, \$1.09% a1.10, closing at \$1.10 12; June, \$1.08 18 @ 1.08 12; August, \$1.08 18. Rye neglected; Western, \$1.03@1.014. Barley quiet and steady; sales, 10,000 bn, ungraded Western at 72c. Barley malt

Corn-Receipts, 179,225 bu: exports, 88,-940 bu; sales, 1,424,000 bu futures, 68,000 bu spot. The spot market was stronger and closed weak and dull; No. 2, 6612@67c in elevator, 6714 @673sc affoat; ungraded mixed, 32 67c; No. 3, 58 258 9c; steamer mixed 62 4 c. Options advanced & @ be, which was afterwards lost. The close was irregular and dull at 4@ 4c: January, 56% @574c, closing at 56%c; February. 54% @55%c, closing at 54%c; March, 54% @55c, closing at 54%c; May, 58@58%c, closing at 50c; steamer mixed, December, 6042@62c, closing at 6042c. Oats-Receipts, 144,725 bu: exports, 52,206 bu; sales, 365,000 bu futures, 145,000 bu spot. The spot market was moderately active and weak. Options were fairly active and steady: December, 41 2 @41 4c. closing at 41 4c; January, 40 2 @40 4c, closing at 40 4c; May, 39 4 @49 4c, closing at 39 4c; spot No. 2 white, 424 @4240; mixed Western, 40@ 43c; white Western, 41@45c; No. 2 Chicago,

Hay quiet and firm. Hops fair to middling but firm. Coffee-Options opened steady from points down to 10 points up, and closed barely steady from 15 points down to 5 points up. Sales, 32,250 bags, including the following: December, 12,95@13c; January, 12.40@12.50c; February, 12.15@12.25c; March. 11.90@12.10c; May, 10.70@10.85c; July, 11.60@ 11.05c; September, 11.45@11.55c; spot Rio dull and steady. No. 7, 137sc. Sugar-Raw quiet and dull; sales 300 bags centrifugals, 96 test, 314c, and 2,000 bags molasses sugar, 80 test, at 234c; refined quiet and steady. Molasses—New Orleans firm and in good demand.

Cotton-seed oil about steady. Tallow firm Eggs dull and weaker; Western, 25@264c; Pork in moderate demand and steady;

new mess, \$10.50. Cut meats quiet and weak; pickled bellies, 5% @5%c. Middles dull and easy; short clear, 6.25@6.35c. Lard unsettled and dull; Western steam, 6.42 20 bid; sales of 800 tierces. Options-Sales, 2,750 tierces; December, 6,38c; January, 6,46 26,48c, closing at 6.48c; February, 6.57c; March, 6.67c; May, 6.85c, closing at 6.83c. Butter quiet and easy: Western dairy, 16 @23c; Western creamery. 20@30c; Western factory. 14 2222c. Cheese dull; part skims, 44 @9c.

TRADE IN GENERAL.

more, Cincinnati and Other Points. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 10.-Flour was steady. Wheat-The local market showed strength this morning, in the face of a lower market elsewhere, the first sales being to higher than yesterday's close. A decline of to was scored on lower foreign advices, but the market kept well and sold up again later, only to decline again. At the close prices were 4c higher than yesterday's. No. 2 red, cash, 94420 95'sc; December, 944095c, closing at 944c bid; May, 993sc@\$1, closing at 945c. Corn-The speculative market was much quieter than yesterday, and changes in prices smail. The close was 18 @ 120 over yesterday's; No. 2, cash, 43@434c; year, 41 @414c, closing at 414c bid; January, 40@ 40%c, closing at 40%c; May, 40% 241c, closing at 40%c bid. Oats quiet but firm; No. 2, cash, 33c bid; May, 33% 23%c, closing at 33%c. Rye-No. 2, salable, 90@91c. Barley steady; Minnesota, 60@63c. Hay steady and unchanged. Bransteady and firm; sacked, on east track, 85c. Flaxseed, 89c. Butter dull and easier; creamery, 26 a 280; dairy, 23@25c. Eggs easier at 24c. Corn-meal, \$2.25@2.30. Whisky steady at \$1.18. Bagging, 54 @74c; iron-cotton ties, \$1.30@ 1.35. Provisions very quiet but steady. Pork easier; old. \$9; new, \$11.30. Lard steady at 6c. Dry-saited meats-Boxed shoulders, 5.30c; longs and ribs, 5.35c; shorts, 5.30c. Bacon—Boxed shoulders, 5.62½ @5.75c; longs and ribs, 6.75c; short clear, 7c. Receipts—Flour, 4,000 brls; wheat, 63,000 bu; corn, 143,000 bu; oats, 32,000 bu; rye, 9,000 bu; barley, 6,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 8,000 brls; wheat, 63,000 bu; corn, 120,000 bu; oats, 13,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu; barley,

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 10.—Wheat-traders had to face a dull and featureless market to-day. There was considerable interest taken in the Chicago corn market, but no trading was done here. Corn took nearly all of the attention in Chicago, and this probably had a weakening effect on wheat. May opened at 934c, and kept within narrow are quite heavy receipts of corn and oats now, but the price has not shown any decline. The receipts of wheat were 375 cars here and 208 at Duluth. Close: December opened at 86% c bid, highest 87c bid, lowest 864c, closed at 864c; May opened at 984c, highest 934c, lowest 934c, closed at 934c; June closed at 874c. On track: No. 1 hard, 89c; No. 1 Northern, 884c; No. 2 Northern,

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 10.—Flour firm. Wheat 4@420 lower; No. 2 red, in export elevator, \$1.03\\(\frac{1}{2}\); No. 2 red, December, \$1.03\\(\frac{1}{2}\)
@1.03\(\frac{1}{2}\); January, \$1.04\(\frac{1}{2}\) @1.05\(\frac{1}{2}\); February, \$1.06\(\pi\)1.06\(\frac{1}{2}\); March, \$1.07\(\frac{1}{2}\)@1.08. Corn firm; No. 4 high mixed, in grain depot, 54c; No. 3 high mixed, in grain depot, 57c; No. 3 yellow, in grain depot, 55c; steamer No. 2 yellow, in grain depot, 59c; No. 2 mixed, December, 60@61c; January, 564 @57c; February, 544 @55c; March, 544 @544c. Oats—Car lots strong and higher; futures nominal; No. 3 white, 41c; No. 2 white, 42@424 e; No. 2 white, December, 41@43c; January, 4034@4132c; February, 4034@4132c; March, 4034@4132c. Eggs dull and easy; Pennsylvania firsts, 28c. Receipts—Flour, 5,400 bris and 14,500 sacks; wheat, 42,700 bu; corn, 18,-600 bu; oats, 54,000 bu. Shipments-Wheat, 76,700 bu; corn, 15,200 bu; oats, 27,400 bu.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 10 .- Wheat quiet; No. 2 red. spot, \$1.03 4 @1.03 5; December, \$1.03 2 @1.03 4; January, \$1.05 4 @1.05 2; February, \$1.07@1.074; May, \$1.10@1.104; steamer No. 2 red, 974@974e; receipts, 117,517 bu; shipments, 16,000 bu; stock, 2093,308 bu; sales, 102,000 bu. Corn firm; mixed, spot, 60e; the year, 6212c asked; January, 57% @57%c; February, 554c; March, 554c asked; steamer mixed, 58c; receipts, 32,572 bu; stock, 138,284 bu; sales, 137,000 bu. Oats strong; No. 2 white Western, 42\delta c; No. 2 mixed Western. 30 @ 39 2c; receipts, 6,000 bn; stock, 124,589 bu. Rye dull and easy; No. 2, 90@97c; receipts, 18,642 bu; stock, 197,919 bu. Hay strong: good to choice timothy, \$13@14. Provisions firm and unchanged. Butter unchanged. Eggs steady at 26c. Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, fair, 17c; No. 7, 137sc.

TOLEDO, Dec. 10.—Wheat dull but steady; No. 2, cash, 96%c; December, 964c; May, \$1.03. Corn dull; No. 2, cash, 49c. Oats quiet; cash, 34c. Rye dull but steady; cash, 92c. Clover-seed dull but steady; prime, cash, December and January, \$5.85; February, \$5.40; March, \$5.45. Receipts— Flour, 240 brls; wheat, 14,500 bu; corn. 21,-560 bu; rye, 3,270 bn; clover-seed, 432 bags. Shipments-Flour, 560 brls; wheat, 3,000 bu; corn, 80,000 bu; oats, 400 bu; clover-seed, 504

CINCINNATI, Dec. 10.-Flour barely

steady. Wheat firmer; No. 2 red, 9512 @97c; receipts, 3,600 bu; shipments, 1,200 bu. Corn in fair demand and strong; No. 2 mixed, 50c. Oats in good demand; No. 2 mixed, 364c. Rye quiet: No. 2, 95c. Provisions quiet and easy. Whisky steady: sales, 131 brls of finished goods on a basis of \$1.18. Butter steady. Sugar firmer. Eggesteady at 22c. Cheese in fair demand and firm. DETROIT, Dec. 10 .- Wheat-No. 2 white, cash, 95c; No. 2 red. cash and December, 964c; May, \$1.0316. Corn-New No. 2, cash, 5012c. Oats-No. 2, cash, 341/2c; No. 2 white, 351/2c. Rye, 91c bid. Receipts-Wheat, 10,600 bu; corn, 15,000 bu; oats, 5,400 bu.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Petroleum opened steady. January option advanced 1sc and closed steady. Spot oil moved up 5sc early, but lost 12c on a reaction. Pennsylvania oil, spot-Opening, 58c; highest, 585c; lowest, 58c; closing, 581sc. January option—Sales, 63,000 bris; opening, 583se; highest, 583se; lowest, 583se; closing, 584se. Lima oil—Sales, 1,000 bris at 144se. Total sales, 105,000 bris. Turpentine dull and nominal. OIL CITY, Dec. 10.—National Transit certifi-cates opened at 58½c; highest, 58¾c; lowest, 58¼c; closed at 58½c. Sales, 152,000 bris; clear-ances, 264,000 bris; shipments, 75,342 bris;

runs, 103,219 brls.

steady at 301gc. Rosin firm; strained, \$1.20; good strained, \$1.25. Tar steady at \$1.30. Crude turpentine firm; bard, \$1; yellow dip, \$1.90; virgin, PITTSBURG, Dec. 10.-Petroleum-National Transit certificates opened at 5819c; closed at 83sc; highest, 585sc; lowest, 583sc. Market dull. CLEVELAND, Dec. 10.—Petroleum easy; standard white, 110°, 61gc; gasoline, 74°, 7c; gasoline, 86°, 10c; naphtha, 63°, 612c. CHARLESTON, Dec. 10 .- Turpentine steady at 30c. Rosin firm; good strained, \$1.20.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 10 .- Spirits of turpentine

SAVANNAH, Dec. 10.-Turpentine firm at 30 4c. Rosin firm at \$1.2212 @ 1.2712. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 10 .- Cotton-Spot in mod erate demand. American middling, 45-16d. Sales, 8,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were for speculation and export, and included 6,700 bales American. Futures closed quiet. American mid-

American. Futures closed quiet. American middling, low middling clause, December, 4 15-64d, buyers; December and January, 4 15-64d, buyers; January and February, 4 19-64d, sellers; February and March, 4 32-64d, sellers; March and April, 4 27-64d, sellers; April and May, 4 30-64 24 31-64d; May and June, 4 34-64d, values; June and July, 4 37-64 24 38-64d; July and August, 4 41-64d, sellers. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10 .- Cotton easy: mid dling, 73c; iow middling, 73-16c; good ordinary, 611-16c. Net receipts, 16,781 bales; gross recelpts, 17,173 bales; exports to Great Britain, 4.201 baies; exports to France, 4.077 bales; sales,

5,600 bales; stock, 414,941 bales. NEW YORK, Dec. 10.-Cotton quiet; middling uplands, 8 11-16e; middling Orieans, 8 7-16e. Sales, 81 bales. April, 8.30c; May, 8.43c; June, 8.54c; July, 8.64c; August, 8.70c; September, Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- The business in dry goods continued fair, with a tendency to widen out and to become more active. Buyers are holding off in a measure for concessions expected on some bleached shirtings, especially as come less popular makes have quietly led the way. Prints were in good demand, both on the spot and on the road, the basis of sales being 6c, with discounts yet indefinite. Wide sheetings were also moving more freely in some quarters. Stocks are getting smaller. Prices as a rule continued steady.

Metais. NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- Pig-iron dull and unchanged. Copper steady; lake, December and January, 10.75c. Tin quiet and easier; Straits, ST. LOUIS, Dec. 10 .- Lead dull and unchanged

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 10.-Wool-Receipts, 19,100 pounds; shipments, 18,700 pounds. The market

shows a hardening tendency, due to the advances established at the London sales and the late heavy movements of Territory wool in the East. Unwashed bright medium, 19 % 22c; coarse braid,

14@20c; low sandy, 11@17c; fine light, 17@20c; flue heavy, 14219c; tub-washed, choice, 312 312c; inferior, 25230c.

LIVE STOCK. Cattle Dull and Unchanged-Hogs Slow and

a Shade Lower-Sheep Steady.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 10.-CATTLE-Receipts, 200; shipments, none. Supply light The market continues dull at about yesterday's prices. Few held over for to-morrow. Export grades. \$4.75@5.25
Good to choice shippers. 4.00@4.50
Fair to medium shippers 3.25@3.75 Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia, Balti-Feeders, good to choice..... 3.00@3.50 Common, thin beifers..... Good to choice cows..... 2.00@2.40 Fair to medium cows..... 1.00@1.7

Hogs-Receipts, 7,000; shipments, 2,300. Quality fair. Market opened slow and possibly a shade lower; closed steady. All

Heavy packing and shipping 3.75 @3.85 Mixed packing..... Lights..... Pigs. 3.00@3.55 Heavy roughs. 3.00@3.60 SHEEP AND LAMES-Receipts, 100; ship ments, none. All decent grades in demand at steady prices. Good to choice sheep..... Fair to medium sheep..... 3.40@3.65
 Common sheep.
 3.00 23.25

 Good to choice lambs
 4.00 24.50

 Common to medium lambs
 3.25 23.75
 Bucks, per hoad.....

nal reports: Cattle-Receipts, 16,000; ship ments, 4,500. The market was slow and lower. Good to choice steers. \$4.90@5.15; choice Christmas steers, \$7@7.15; others, \$2.60@4.25; rangers, \$2.20@3.25; stockers, \$2 @S; good cows. \$2,25@2,60. Hogs-Receipts, 55,000; shipments, 9,000. The market was lower. Rough and common, \$3.50@3.60; mixed and packers, \$3.70@

Elsewhere.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10 .- The Evening Jour-

8.85; prime heavy and butchers' weights, \$8.90@8.95; light, \$3.40@8.70. Sheep-Receipts, 7,000; shipments, 1,500. The market was slow and lower. Native ewes, \$2.50@3.80; wethers, \$4.40@5; Westerns, \$4.50; lambs, \$4@5.25. LOUISVILLE, Dec. 10 .- Cattle-Receipts light. The market was steady. Pens cleared. Good to extra shipping, \$4@4.25;

light stockers, \$1.75@2.20; shippers and feeders, \$2.50@3.25; best butchers, \$2.40@ 3.65; thin, rough steers, poor cows and scalawags, \$1.25@1.50. Hogs-Estimated receipts, 2,500. The market was a little slow to open. Choice packing and butchers, \$3.60@3.80; fair to good butchers, \$3.65@3.75.

Sheep and Lambs.—The market was steady and unchanged. Fair to good shipping. \$3.75 @4; common to medium lambs, \$3@4.50. BUFFALO. Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 78 car-loads through and none for sale. The market was dull and but few on sale. Hogs-Receipts, 63 car-loads through and 80 car-loads for sale. The market was slow but about steady. Heavy grades, \$4@ 4.10; medium weights, \$3.85@4. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2 car-loads through, 31 car-loads for sale. The market was quiet and steady. Sheep, extra fancy, \$4.60@5; good to choice, \$4.15@4.50; lambs, good to choice native, \$5.25@5.50; Canada, common to extra, \$5.40@5.60.

550; all for exporters and slaughterers. No trade; feeling firm. Dressed beef steady at 7@9\2c. Shipments to-morrow, 880 beeves. Calves—Receipts. 367. The market was steady. Veals, \$5@8; grassers, \$1.75@2.87\2. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 7,387. Sheep steady. Lambs easier. Sheep, \$8.45@5.50; lambs. \$5@6; dressed mutton, 642@8c; dressed lambs weak at 7@840. Hogs-Receipte, 10,300, consigned direct. The market was nominally steady at \$3.60

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Beeves-Receipts,

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 10.-Cattle - Receipts, 1,800; chipments, 1,700. The market was weak on all grades, except fancy Christmas. Good to prime premium steers, \$4.50 @6.30; fair to good butchers' steers, \$3@4.50; Texan and Indian steers. \$2@3.80. Hogs-Receipts, 6,400; shipments, 2,100. The market was lower. Fair to fancy premium, \$3.75@4.20; mixed, \$3.20@3.70; fair to choice, \$3.40@3.60. Sheep-Receipts, 200. The market was firm. Fair to fancy, \$2.80@6.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 10.—Cattle in light demand. Fair to choice butcher grades, \$2.50@4.15; prime to choice shippers, \$4@ 4.75. Receipts, 620; shipments, 80 Hogs lower. Common and light, \$3@3.60; packing and butchers', \$3.50@3.80. Receipts, 8,700; shipments, 2,850. Sheep in fair demand and firmer. Com-mon to choice, \$2.50@4.50; extra fat wethers and yearlings, \$4.50@4.75. Receipts, 460. Lambs in fair demand and firm. Common to choice, \$3.75@5.

EAST LIBERTY, Dec. 10 .- Cattle-Receipts, 1,113; shipments, 878. Nothing doing: all through consignments. No cattle shipped to New York to-day, Hogs-Receipts, 3,200; shipments, 2,350, The market opened active and closed dull. Philadelphias, \$3.90@3.95; common to fair, \$3.60@3.70; pigs, \$3.25@3.50. Ten car-loads of hogs shipped to New York to-day. Sheep—Receipts, 800; shipments, 1,200. The market was slow at unchanged prices. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 10 .- Cattle - Receipts, 2,805; shipments, 2,122. The market was dull and lower. Steers, \$3@5.80; cows, \$2.95@3.55; stockers and feeders, \$2.30@8,10. Hogs - Receipts, 16,800; shipments, 800. The market was steady. Bulk, \$3,50@3,65; all grades, \$3 a 3.80. Sheep-Receipts, 1,200; shipments, 1,800. The market was about steady.

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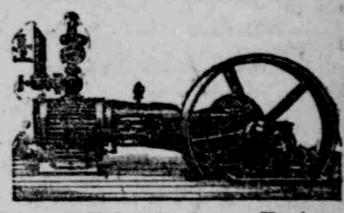


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